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IR OPERATIONS

Internment and Resettlement Operations

United States Army Military Police School

OUTLINE

- **Internment & Resettlement Operations**
- **Five S's and T**
- **STRESS**
- **Operations**
- **Training**

IR Operations

- EPW/CI Operations
- U.S. Military Prisoner Operations
- Populace and Resource Control (PRC)
- Dislocated Civilian Resettlement Operations

EPW/CI Operations

MP Collection
Processing
Evacuation
Internment
Safeguarding

Release of EPW, US Military Prisoners, and Civilian Internees.

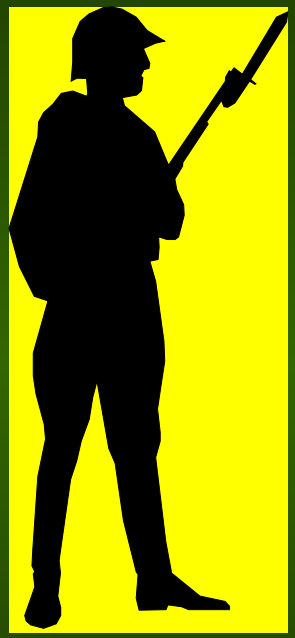
U.S. Military Prisoner Operations

Detention

Sustainment

Protection

Evacuation



Includes Establishment of Temporary Detention Facilities when Necessary.

Populace and Resource Control

- Mission conducted by Civil Affairs Personnel.
- MPs are the Desirable Supporting Force
  - Control Movement of DCs
  - Conduct Crowd Control Ops
  - Deny Adversaries or Insurgents

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Dislocated Civilian Resettlement Operations

Collection

Evacuation

Resettlement

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Types of Captives

- Enemy Prisoners of War
- Retained Personnel
- Civilian Interne
- Detainees

Recent History

- **Desert Storm**
  - **100,000+**
  - **Doctrine Reversed**
  - **Planning Factors**

5 S's and T

- **Search**
- **Safeguard**
- **Silence**
- **Speed**
- **Segregate**
- **Tag**

5 S's & T
is what
Capturing
Troops
do with
EPW

Search

- Types of Searches
  - Wall
  - Prone
  - Strip
- Property
  - Confiscated
  - Impounded
  - Retained

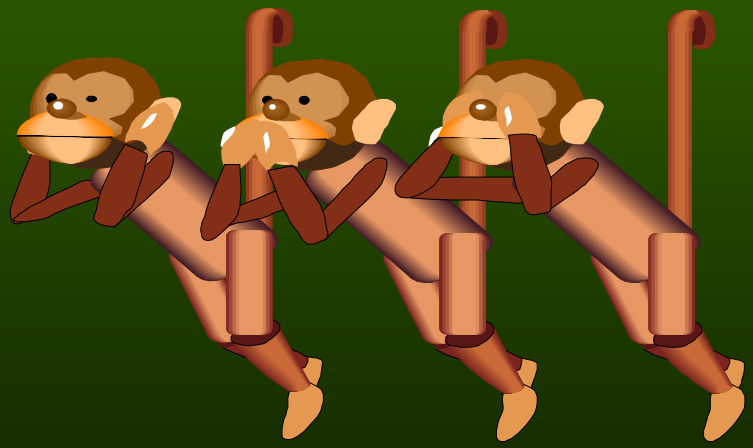
Complacency Kills!!!

Safeguard

- World War II
- Geneva Convention
  - Basic Necessities
  - Shelter
  - Shielded from the Curious
  - Prohibitions

Silence

- Do not Allow Them To Talk!!!
  - Helps Prevent Plans for Escape
- Gag the Mouth if Necessary
  - Do not Restrict his/her Airway or Breathing



Segregate

- Grade (Officers/NCOs/Ems)
- Status (EPW/RP/CI/Detainee)
- Sex
- Religion
- Nationality
- Political Leanings (Communist/Democratic)

Speed

- Division Forward Collection Point
  - 12 hours
- Division Central Collection Point
  - 24 hours
- Corps Holding Area
  - 48 hours
- Theater Holding Area

TAG

- Used to Account for Captives
- Tags are Placed on Captives by Capturing Unit
- Each Tag Must Contain (at a min):
  - Date & Time of Capture
  - Location of Capture
  - Capturing Unit
  - Special Circumstances of Capture

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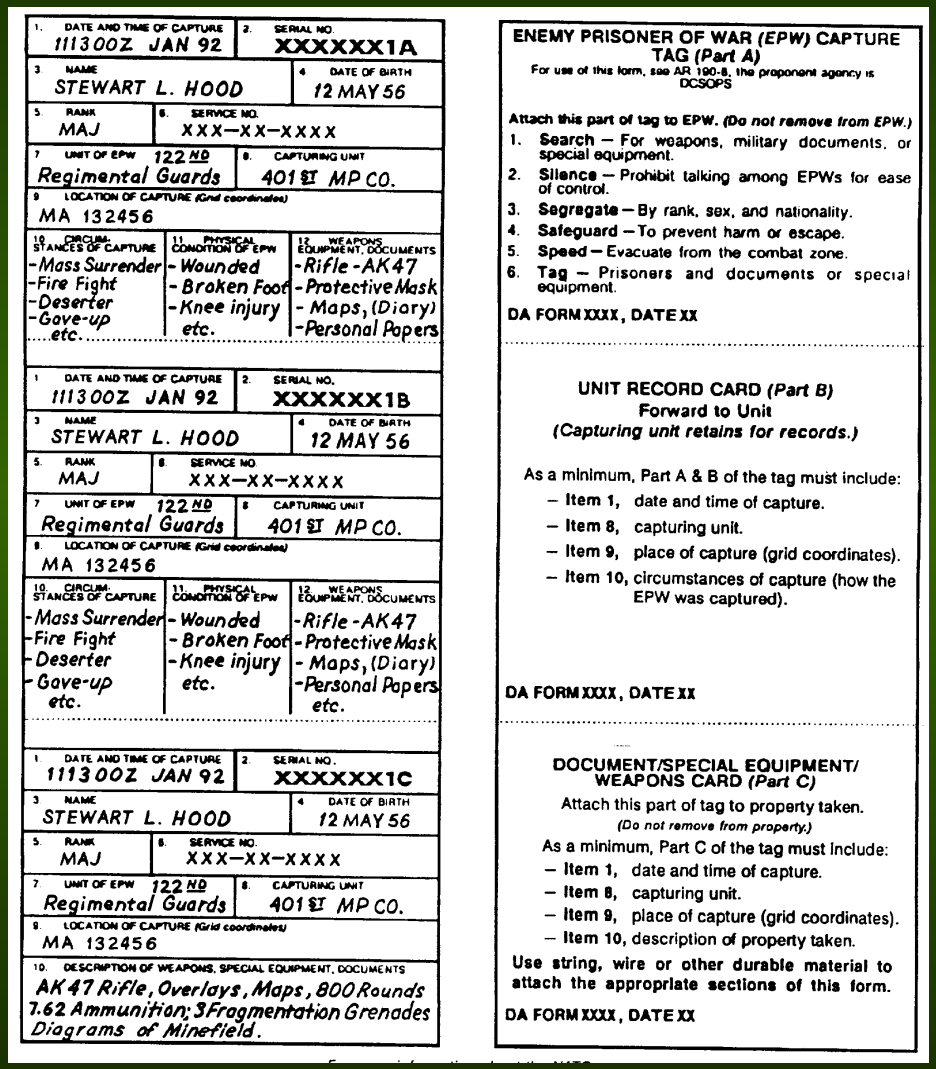

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3. NAME	4. DATE OF BIRTH
STEWART L. HOOD	12 MAY 56
5. RANK	6. SERVICE NO.
MAJ	XXX-XX-XXXX
7. UNIT OF EPW	8. CAPTURING UNIT
122 ND Regimental Guards	401 ST MP CO.
9. LOCATION OF CAPTURE (Grid coordinates)	
MA 132456	

10. CIRCUMSTANCES OF CAPTURE	11. PHYSICAL CONDITION OF EPW	12. WEAPONS EQUIPMENT, DOCUMENTS
-Mass Surrender -Fire Fight -Deserter -Gave-up ....etc.	-Wounded -Broken Foot -Knee injury etc.	-Rifle -AK47 -Protective Mask -Maps, (Diary) -Personal Papers

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10. DESCRIPTION OF WEAPONS, SPECIAL EQUIPMENT, DOCUMENTS	
AK 47 Rifle, Overlays, Maps, 800 Rounds 7.62 Ammunition; 3 Fragmentation Grenades Diagrams of Minefield.	

ENEMY PRISONER OF WAR (EPW) CAPTURE TAG (Part A)

For use of this form, see AR 190-8, the proponent agency is DCSOPS

Attach this part of tag to EPW. *(Do not remove from EPW.)*

1. **Search** — For weapons, military documents, or special equipment.
2. **Silence** — Prohibit talking among EPWs for ease of control.
3. **Segregate** — By rank, sex, and nationality.
4. **Safeguard** — To prevent harm or escape.
5. **Speed** — Evacuate from the combat zone.
6. **Tag** — Prisoners and documents or special equipment.

DA FORM XXXX, DATE XX

UNIT RECORD CARD (Part B)
Forward to Unit
(Capturing unit retains for records.)

As a minimum, Part A & B of the tag must include:

- **Item 1,** date and time of capture.
- **Item 8,** capturing unit.
- **Item 9,** place of capture (grid coordinates).
- **Item 10,** circumstances of capture (how the EPW was captured).

DA FORM XXXX, DATE XX

DOCUMENT/SPECIAL EQUIPMENT/ WEAPONS CARD (Part C)

Attach this part of tag to property taken.
(Do not remove from property.)

As a minimum, Part C of the tag must include:

- **Item 1,** date and time of capture.
- **Item 8,** capturing unit.
- **Item 9,** place of capture (grid coordinates).
- **Item 10,** description of property taken.

Use string, wire or other durable material to attach the appropriate sections of this form.

DA FORM XXXX, DATE XX

PART A

PART B

PART C

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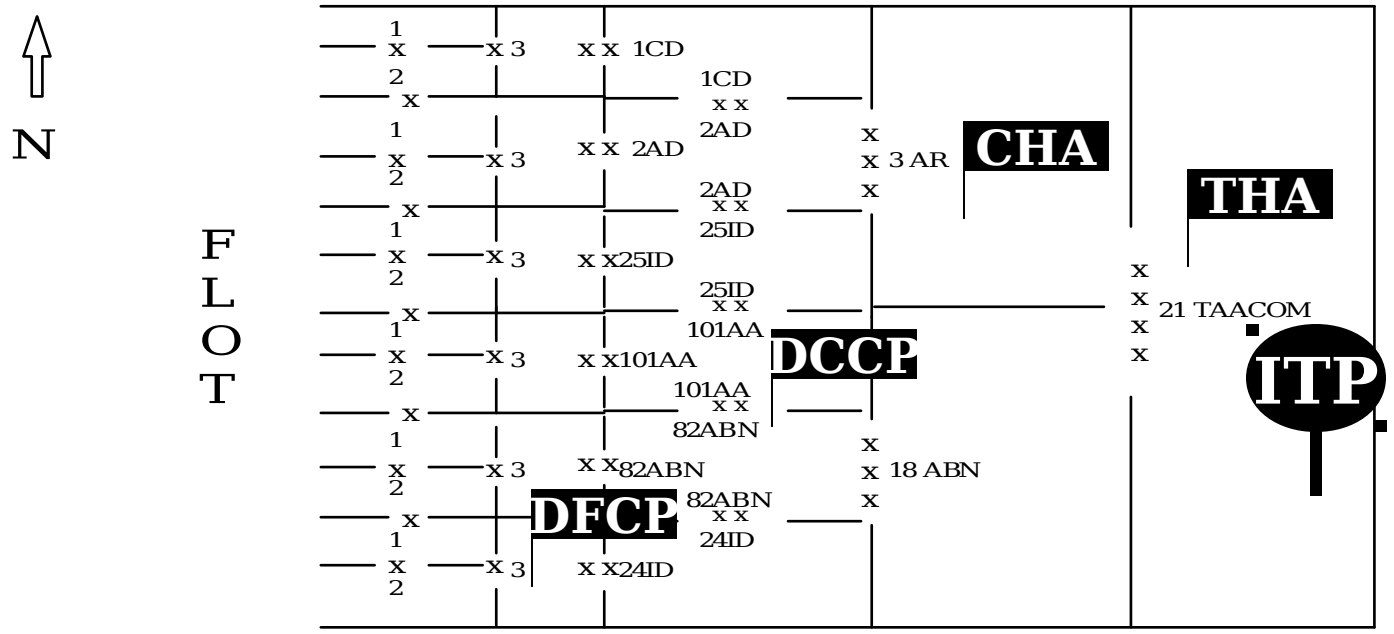
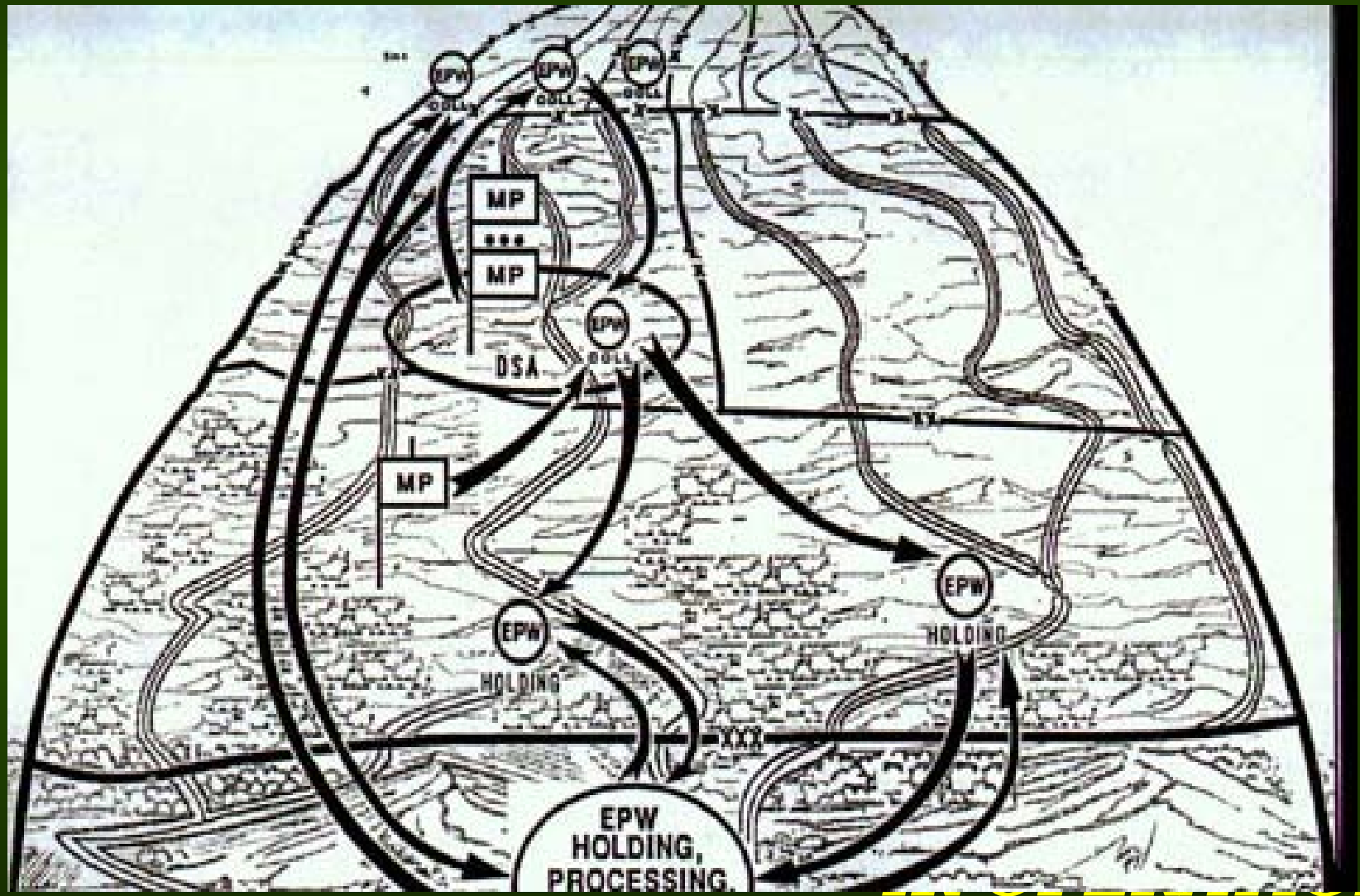
- Search
- Tag
- Report
- Evacuate
- Segregate
- Safeguard

STRESS is what Military Police do with EPW

EPW Framework

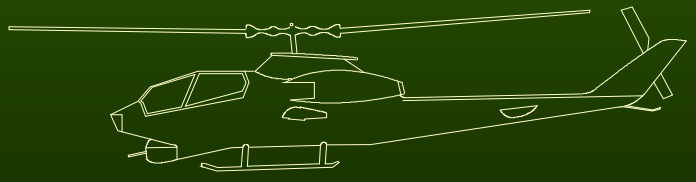


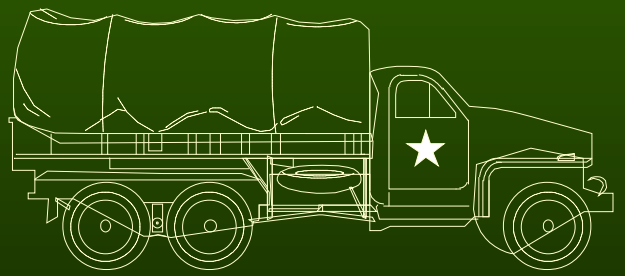
EPW Evacuation Flow



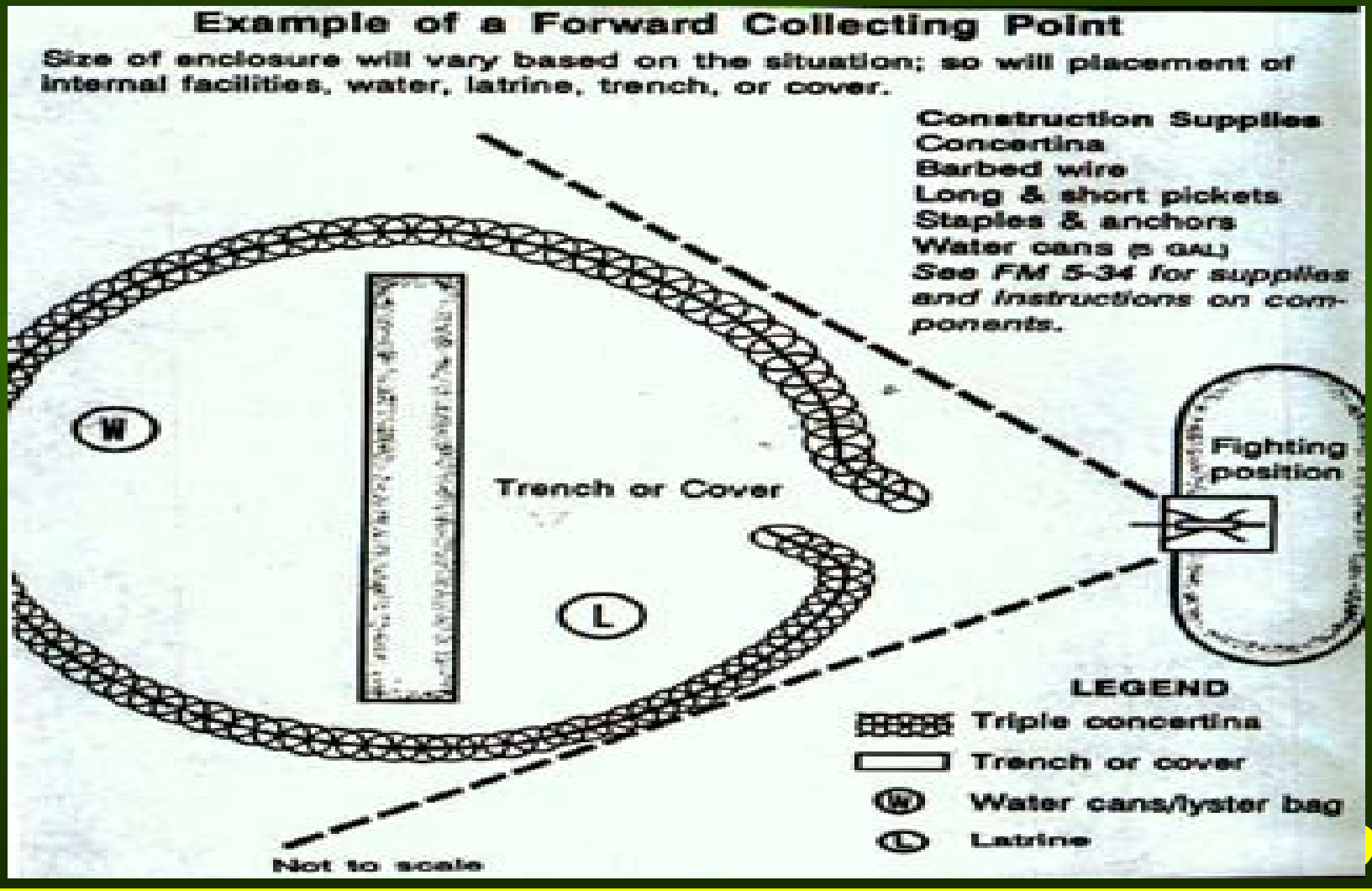
Transport Capabilities

• 2-1/2 ton Cargo Trk	20 Captives w/2 Guards
• 5 ton Cargo Trk	20 Captives w/2 Guards
• Passenger Bus	37 Captives w/3 Guards
• Boxcar	22 Captives w/3 Guards
• CH-47	29 Captives w/4 Guards





Forward Collection Point



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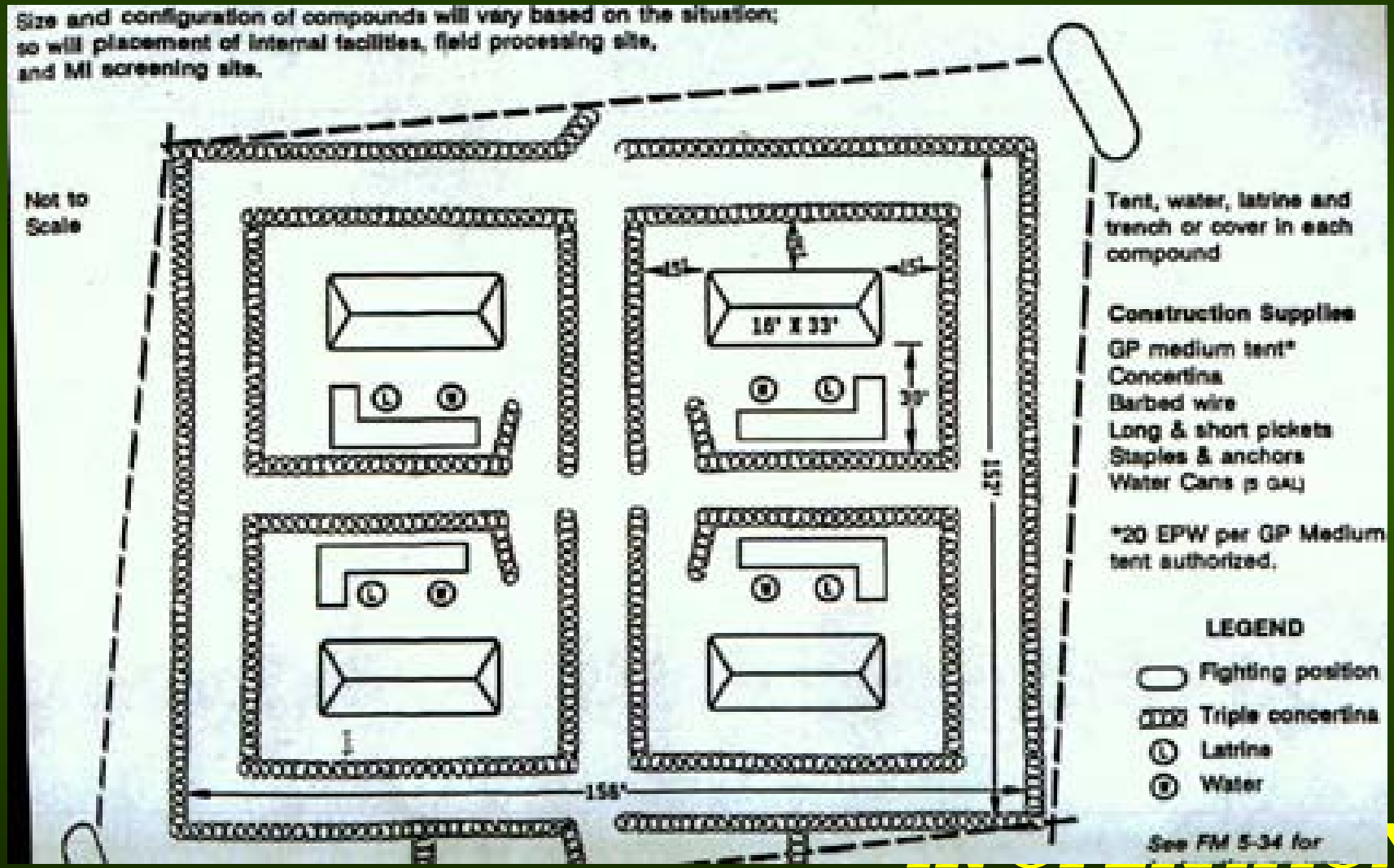
Central Collection Point



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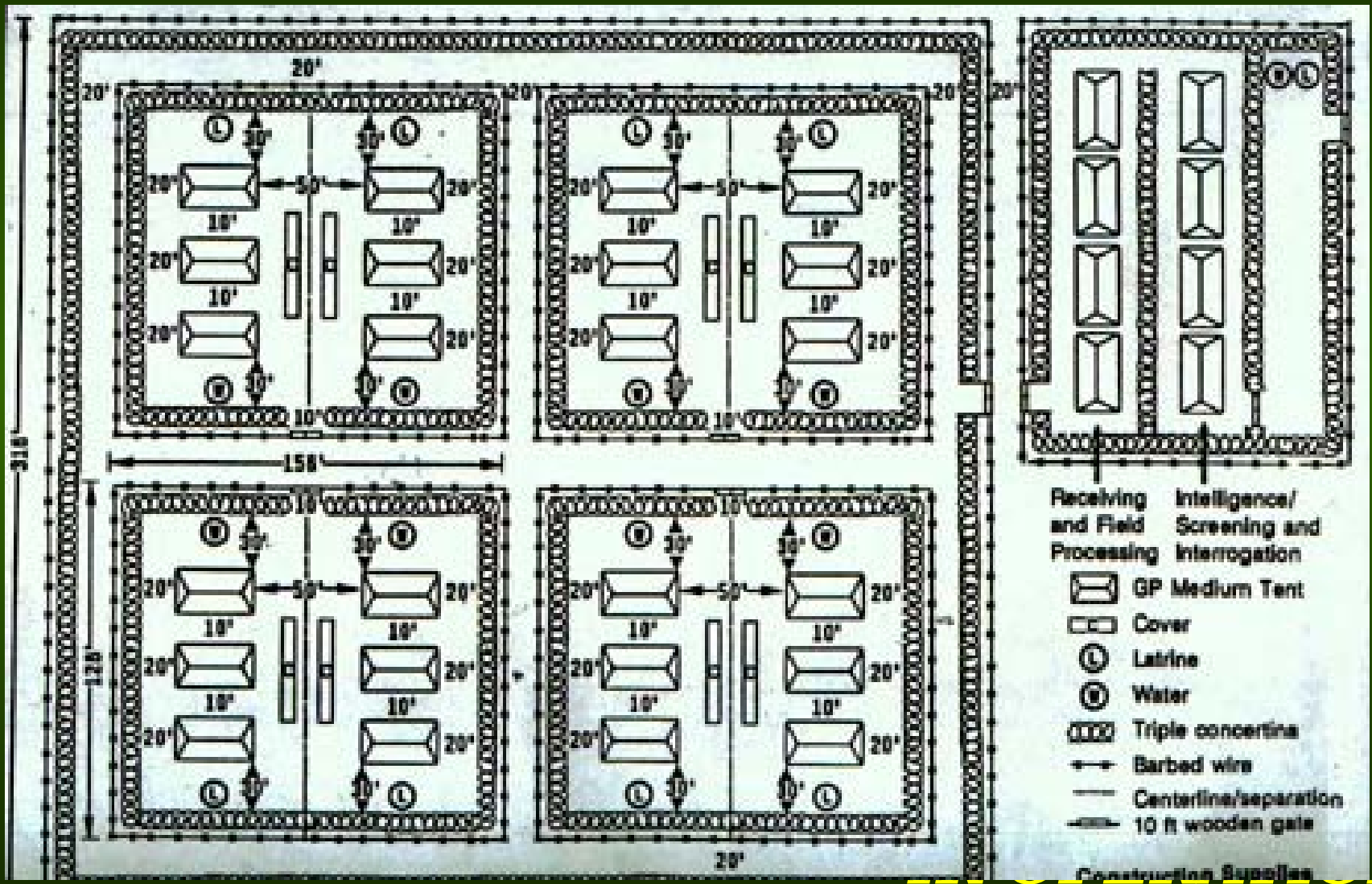
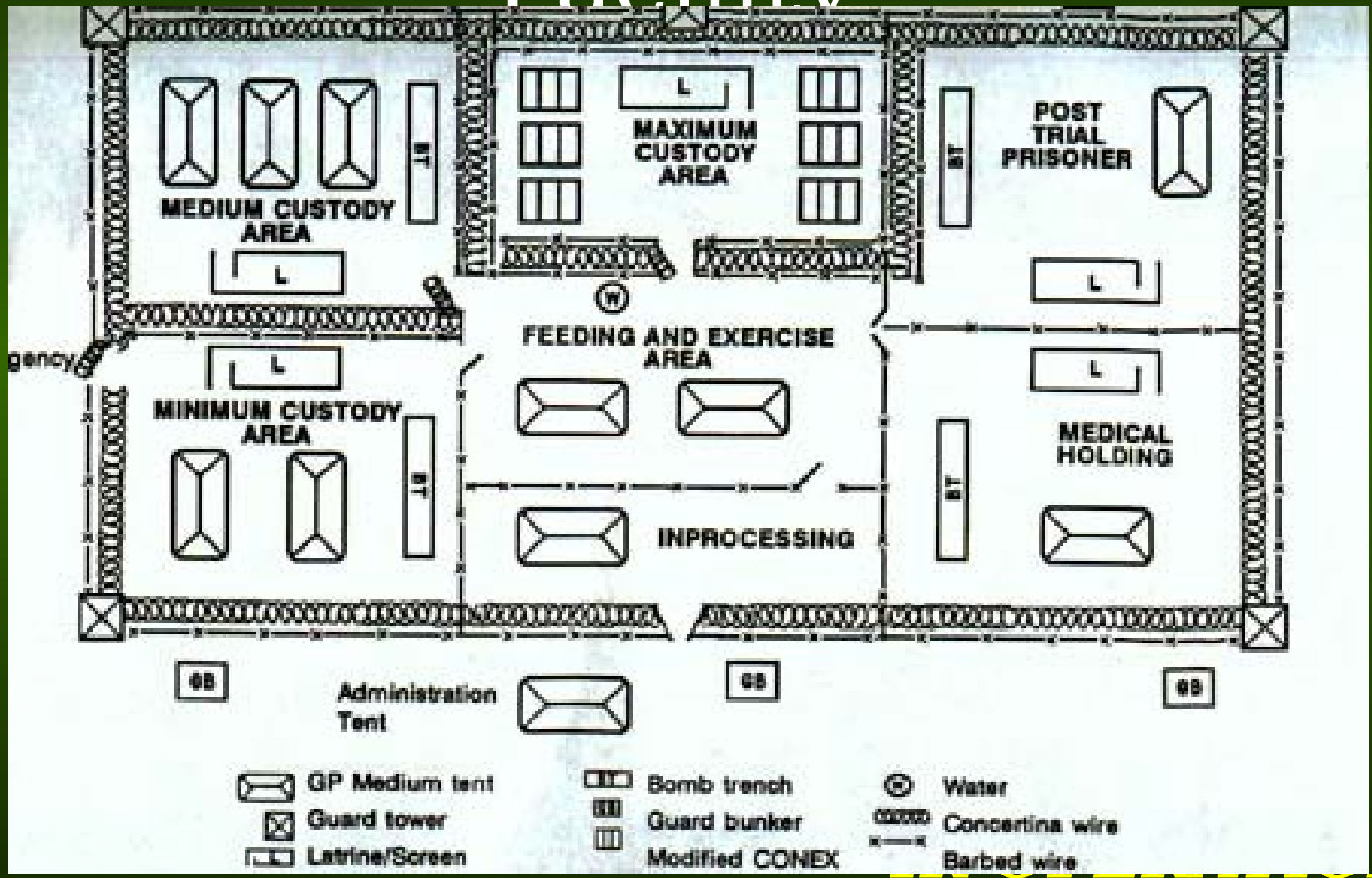
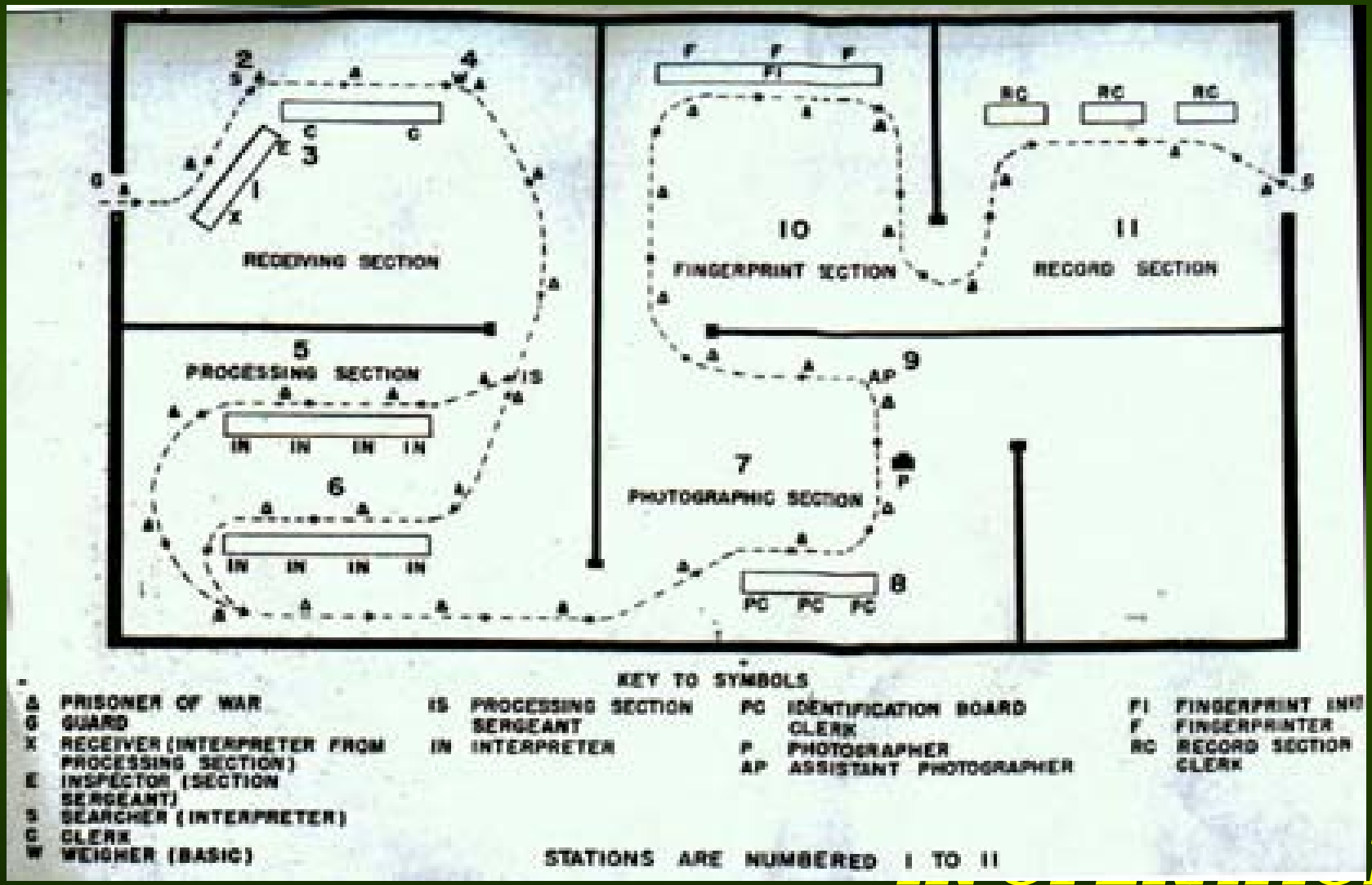
Corps Holding Area



Corps Field Detention Facility



EPW Processing Tent



Doctrinal Capture Rates

Per Month With Equal Force Estimates

Troops (US) Strength	% of EN
IN DIV	1.35
IN DIV (M)	1.10
AR DIV	.80
ABN DIV	.65

FM 101-10-1

Stats from 1944

Doctrinal Capture Rates

Per Month With Numerically Superior Forces 2:1

Force & Operation	Number
DIV in Attack of a Def Pos	1,500
DIV in Attack of a Def Pos (w/complete surprise attained)	2,100
DIV in Attack of a Def Pos (Against an unsuccessful Attack)	9,000
INF DIV (M) or (TF) Encirclement Op	24,450
AR DIV (TF) Encirclement Op	3,000

Doctrinal Capture Rates

Vietnam Conflict

Unit Year	# EPWs per
Average per DIV over 4 Yrs for all Types of DIVs & DIV Equivalents	423
High Yr average per DIV (1967)	644
Low Yr average per DIV (1966)	213

Planning Considerations

- Capture Rates FM 101-10-1/2 pg 4-3
- Transport Assets FM 101-10-1/2 pg 3-2
- Food & Water FM 101-10-1/2 pg 2-8

“EPW Planning is not a Priority until it’s a Priority”

“Plan Ahead -- Stay Ahead”

Prisoner of War Information System

- Geneva Convention Requires Total Accounting of EPWs
- PWIS Assists through Automated Files
- National & Theater Levels
- 99% of PWIS Units are Reserve Units
- Remember Accountability Starts w/ the Capture Tag

EPW Training

- Team, Squad, Platoon & Company Level Training
- Multi-Echelon Training
  - MI, EN, PWIC, DIV Band, Brigade TF, etc

Questions?